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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

Upon further review of the Patent Application, a typographical error was found in the informal drawings. In **Figure 2**, it shows "Receiver/Transmitter" at reference numeral 58. It should read "62" instead of "58". A proposed correction of the drawing is submitted for the Examiner's approval.

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No additional fee is believed to be required; however, in the event any additional fees are required, please charge IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 50-0563. A Petition for Extension of Time Within the First Month and a Response to Notice to File Corrected Application Papers are also being sent for filing.

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